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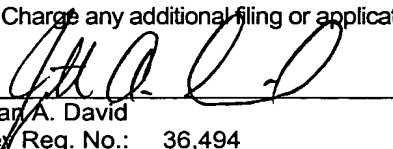
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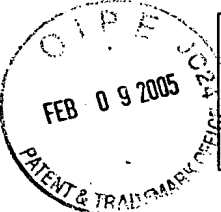
  
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed November 4, 2004, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

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